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**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

The Applicants submit this reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 in response to the final Office Action mailed March 7, 2005, which set a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response.

Claims 1-3, 5-15, 17-20 and 23 are pending in the application. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS** begin on page 9 of this paper.